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PATENT APPLICATION

Docket No. 15436.446.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of		)
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	Donald A. Ice	)
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Serial No.:	10/810,040	) Art Unit
		) 1793
Filed:	March 26, 2004	)
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For:	METHODS FOR MANUFACTURING	)
	OPTICAL MODULES USING LEAD FRAME	)
	CONNECTORS	)
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Customer No.:	022913	)
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Examiner:	Kiley Shawn Stoner	)

TRANSMITTAL FOR REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Mail Stop **RCE**  
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR § 1.114 for the above-identified application. For Examiner's convenience the Information Disclosure Statement previously filed on September 4, 2008 is enclosed.

A. Enclosed

X Request for Continued Examination

X Information Disclosure Statement

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any of the following fees that may be applicable to this communication, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 23-3178**: (1) any filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16; (2) any patent application and reexamination processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17; and/or (3) any post issuance fees under 37 CFR § 1.20. In addition, if any additional extension of time is required, which has not otherwise been requested, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees that may be required to **Deposit Account No. 23- 3178**.

Dated this 15th day of September, 2008.

Respectfully submitted,

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